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Trade-----WESTERN-----Land -----For Horses and Mules-----

Have good level buffalo grass quarter
6 miles from county seat town.
\$1,000 against it, 2 years at 7 per cent
Ask \$2,400 for quarter.
Will trade my equity of \$1,400 for
horses and mules

ADDRESS
Box 278, Fowler, Kansas

For Sale or Rent

Desirable city property, fifty foot lot, five room
house, south front, located in southwest part of town.
Will sell this property at a bargain, or will rent to de-
sirable tenant. Address

ELLA A. FRENCH, Eckley, Colo.

FORD FOR SALE -----CHEAP-----

Call or address Fowler News
Fowler, Kansas

Wake Up!

Have you bought your coal?
Prices are advancing
Place your order with me
TO-DAY
A. O. Rosenberry

SERVICE

We give the best of service in charging and repairing
Storage batteries, Electric starters, and Generators.
Official Willard Service Station
FOWLER GARAGE
Fowler, Kansas

MOVED

Am now located in the building
formerly occupied by Sourbier Bros.
Before you consign your old cas-
ings to the scrap heap bring
me. A re-tread may make it as good
as new.

F. O. BROWN
The Tire Repair Man

August 24th Registration

List of names of persons who
registered on August 24, 1918:
Robert C. Johnston, Meade.
Orval V. Spain, Plains.
Lawrence D. Pope, Kismet.
Schuyler F. Youngs, Plains.
David Langhofer, Plains.
Barthold A. Cordes, Meade.
Peter B. Barthel, Meade.
Carl I. Shackelford, Engle-
wood.
Alex R. Wilson, Meade.
Walter E. Linder, Fowler.
Robert E. Butler, Englewood.
McKinley K. McDowell, Fowler.
Forrest V. Little, Fowler.

Harry Bone, formerly a resi-
dent of Clark county and rep-
resented it in the legislature
one term, died in Topeka Mon-
day after a continued illness
since he left the office of U. S.
district attorney in 1914.—Min-
neola Record.

Rev. H. G. Phillips' leave this
week for Great Bend, where
Rev. Phillips will have charge
of the Baptist congregation.

With The Colors

The Winnfield (Louisiana)
Times of August 23 contains
the following:

A telegram from the War De-
partment to Mr. J. B. Fick
states that his son, Lieut. Ever-
ett S. Fick, has been severely
wounded in battle on August
1st. The sad news cast a gloom
over the entire town, as Ever-
ett was a favorite with its en-
tire population.

He attended Tulane Univer-
sity for three years and gradu-
ated in law. He located in
Winnfield and was just entering
upon what looked to be a long
and successful professional life
when our country entered the
world war. Without a mo-
ment's hesitation he closed his
office and entered the first of-
ficers' training school at Camp
Pike at the close of which he
was commissioned a second
lieutenant.

Early this year he went to
France and was with the Amer-
ican forces on the firing line
when the great counter offen-
sive of the Allies began in June.
So well did he perform he was
promoted to first lieutenant
and was promised still further
promotion.

Lieut. Fick is a nephew of F.
W. Fick of this city, and his
father, J. B. Fick, visited here
several years ago.

The following is taken from a
Perry Oklahoma daily. Gerald
is a nephew of J. I. and Miss
Betty Stamper, of this city.

Perry people were greatly
shocked Saturday evening when
the news spread over the city
that Gerald Tebbe, son of Mr.
and Mrs. E. F. Tebbe, of this
city had been wounded in battle
in France. The people of Perry
and throughout the county will
deeply sympathize with the par-
ents in their grief and anxiety
for the recovery of their only
son and will indulge the hope
that Gerald's wound may not
prove serious or prevent his re-
covering still other honors, so
coveted by the true soldier.

The following is the brief tele-
gram from the Adjutant Gener-
al: "We deeply regret to inform
you that Gerald S. Tebbe is re-
ported wounded in action Aug-
ust. Degree undetermined.
This department has no further
information."

Miss Ona Martin of Fowler is
attending Meade Chautauqua.

There's a picture of you in
your soldier's memory, but he is
expecting a new one, as you are
to-day, to take its place. See
Backe at Meade. He makes
the good kind.

Boys To Camp

Another bunch of Meade
County boys will leave for
Camp Funston during the four-
day period beginning Septem-
ber 3rd. They are:

Orman M. Buck, Meade.
Jacob D. Hespson, Meade.
John A. Harvey, Fowler.
Chris B. Mertens, Meade.
Vilas Plymale, Fowler.
Willard M. Tucker, Engle-
wood.

Wesley Walker, Fowler.
Wilhem H. Johannsen, Nye,
Okla.

William M. Nelson, Engle-
wood.

William F. Heinson, Meade.
Fred Avery, Missler.
William J. Merkle, Fowler.
Emil J. Eckhoff, Meade.
Guy E. Davis, Montezuma.
Joseph J. Heffron, Fowler.
Earnest C. Dye, Meade.
Basil G. McBee, Fowler.
Adrian E. Bocook, Meade.
Claude W. Holmes, Plains.
Stanley B. Phillips, Douglas,
Wyo.

Ralph B. Collier, Meade.
Alex R. Wilson, Meade.

J. W. Russel Declines

J. W. Russel of Plains, whose
name was written in on the
Democratic ticket at the Aug-
ust primary for Representative,
has filed affidavit with the
County Clerk that he will not
be a candidate. Mr. Russel is
engaged in the lumber business
at Plains and did not feel that
he could afford to spend the
time away from his business.
Mr. Russel's many friends re-
gret that he did not accept the
nomination, as his long resi-
dence here and his other excel-
lent qualifications would have
made him a popular candidate.

The soldier vote for the Aug-
ust primary was received by
County Clerk Pressly this
week. The vote does not change
the outcome in this county. The
only office where there was any
question was between C. C.
Keller of Plains and E. C. Lep-
per of Meade, both Democratic
candidates for Sheriff. Mr. Kel-
ler is the nominee.

The W. C. T. U. Convention
to have been held last week has
been postponed until Septem-
ber 15th.

Meade County Wheat

Some wheat is being mark-
eted here this week, and from
the elevators we get the in-
formation that it is testing from
55 to 60 pounds and that the
quality is good.

The Co-operative people are
cleaning all that tests well and
will be in position to furnish
many Meade County farmers
with home grown seed.

The Artesian Valley Milling
Co., report that much of what
they have bought has been
good seed wheat.

It seems that this is a good
report on this year's crop, con-
sidering the season, and where
home-grown seed can be pur-
chased it would perhaps be
more adapted to this climate
than that shipped in from other
localities.

Many of the farmers are
holding their own seed wheat.

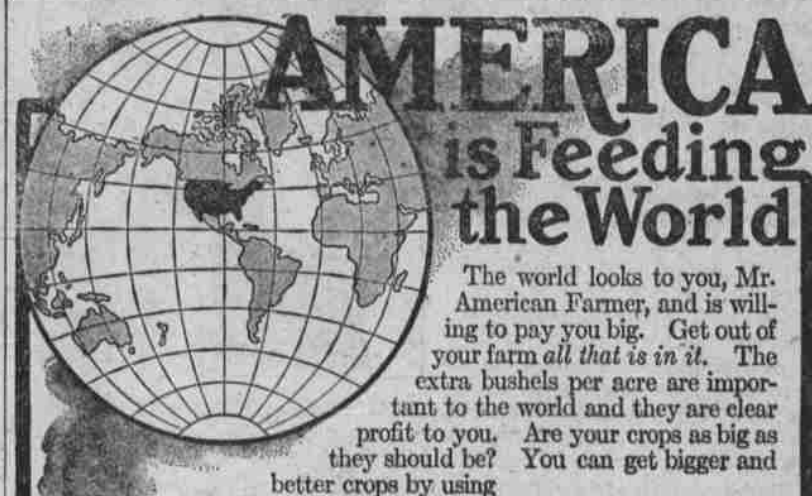
The price being paid ranges
from \$2.00 to \$2.05 per bushel,
depending on the quality of the
wheat.

Notwithstanding the crop
failure this year, a large acre-
age will be sown again this fall,
and making calculations from
past years, a good crop is due
next year.

NOTICE

Conditions, over which we
have no control, make it neces-
sary to put the following prices
on milk, in effect September
1st: Milk, per quart, delivered,
10c; per pint, 6 1/4c. Cream, per
quart, 60c; per pint, 30c; per
half pint, 15c.

34-2 W. A. BURNETT.



Superior Grain Drills

Every feed sows a measured quantity of seed. Superior Drills
do not skip, choke or bunch; every furrow opener makes a perfect,
roomy seed trench, with the seed at an even depth.

Made of the choicest materials. Special features: Double run
positive force grain feeds—two feeds in one. Parallel disc
bearings guaranteed for life of drill. Superior telescoping steel
conductor tubes—non-breakable; no buckling, kinking, bending or
collapsing. Superior patented oscillating drag-
bars insure 50% more clearance.

Constructed for Use With Any Tractor

It will pay you to use this
Drill because its effective
and economical sowing
will bring you greater
profits in increased crops.
Superior Drills are noted
for lightness of draft, ease
of operation and unusual
strength.



W. F. CASTEEN & CO.

WAR WORK

is calling many women of our coun-
try into commercial and industrial
activities.

This releases men for military ser-
vice.

To the women "over here" who are
backing up our boys "over there",
this Institution would extend every
encouragement.

Our banking facilities are available
and we cordially invite consultation.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Meade, Kansas

MY CHOICE

By F. S. Sullivan

You may talk of the skies of Italy,
You may rave o'er Ceylon's clime,
You may tell of the tropic verdure
Of the land along the line,
You may chant the praise of the Arctic sea
Where twilight lingers long,
You may create a tale of a fairyland
And weave it into song,
You may sigh for the sight of a southern isle
Where coral and amber glow,
Or the mountain side of pine and fir
And its peak white-capped with snow,
You may pine for a rock-bound coast afar,
Or else for a sandy shore
Where the tide comes in and the tide goes out,
Or the breakers loudly roar,
You may yearn for your yellow jessamine
And your orange blossoms fair,
Or lilac blooms perfuming
The circumambient air,
You may boast of your north, your east, your west,
Your south or your central plains,
But the dearest spot in the world for me
Is some place where it sometimes rains.